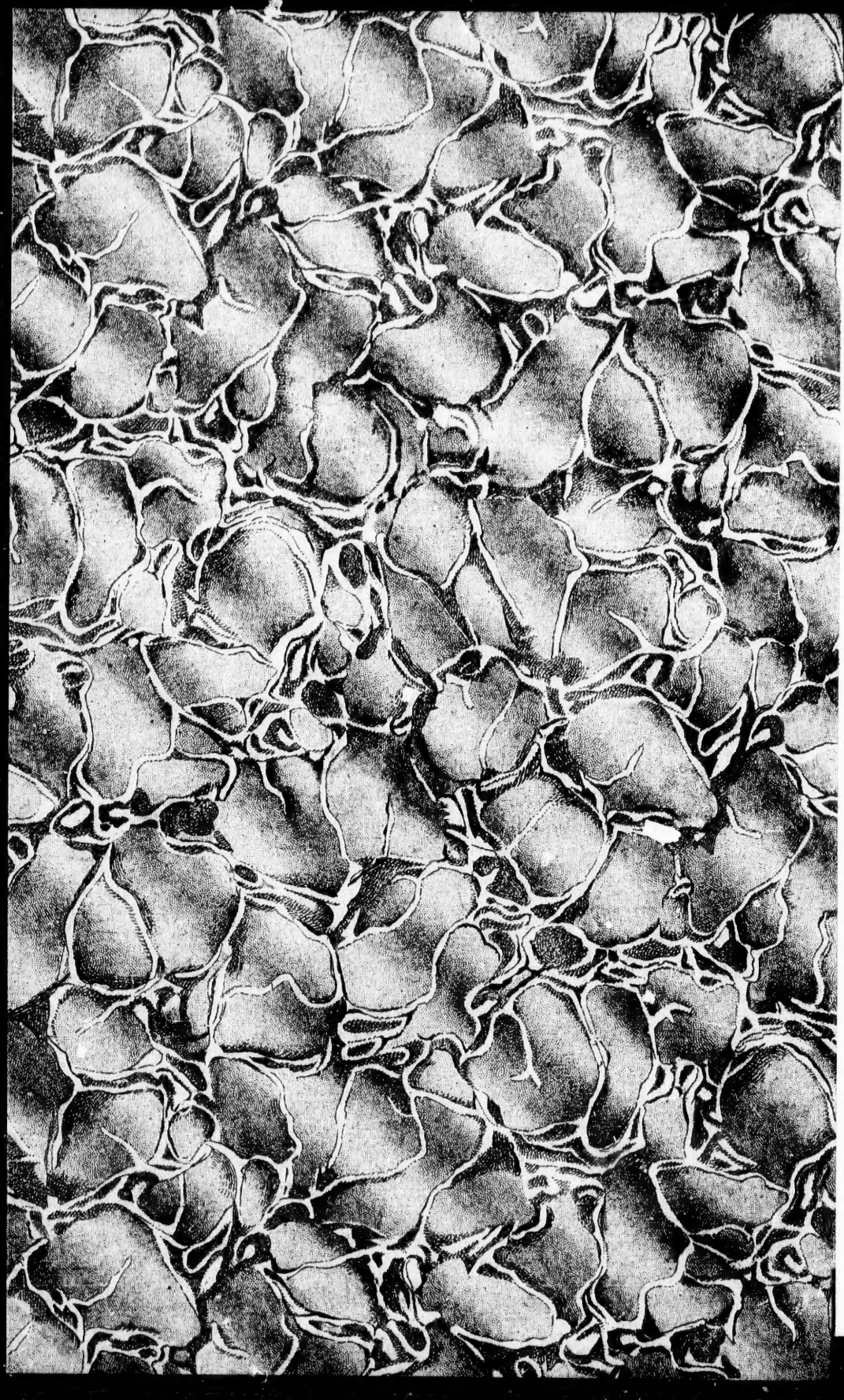

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☞ *The announcement of special prizes by Mr. Vick, in the prize list published in the May number of the Journal of Agriculture, was inserted on the faith of an announcement in his catalogue, authorizing provincial societies to offer them. He has since declined to grant them, on the ground of having already offered them to two other associations in Nova Scotia.*

The offer is therefore withdrawn from our prize list.

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RULES AND PRIZE LIST

FOR THE

SECOND EXHIBITION

OF THE

Nova Scotia Poultry and Floricultural Association,

TO BE HELD IN THE SKATING RINK, HALIFAX,

ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, 3RD, 4TH AND 5TH SEPTEMBER, 1878.

GENERAL RULES.

1. The term "specimen" implies anything entered for competition.

2. All exhibits must be entered with the Secretary, R. J. Wilson, P. O. box 590, Halifax, or with the Treasurer, A. Mackinlay, 137 Granville Street, Halifax, at least one week previous to the Exhibition, namely, not later than Tuesday, 27th August, and exhibitors failing to forward their entry papers by that date will not be allowed to compete for prizes. Entry blanks will be supplied to intending exhibitors by the Secretary or Treasurer.

3. An entry ticket, with a number but no exhibitor's name, will be given by the Secretary for each exhibit, which entry ticket must be attached by the exhibitor to his exhibit, for identification.

4. The Rink will be open on Monday, 2nd September, the day preceding the Exhibition, from 1 till 9 o'clock p. m., for the reception and arrangement of specimens, and on the morning of Tuesday 3rd, from 6 till 9 o'clock a. m., by which time all specimens must be arranged and ticketed and the room cleared. No person except exhibitors and those engaged in making arrangements will be admitted previous to the opening of the Exhibition.

5. All specimens must be properly named and labelled as far as possible.

6. The Committee reserve the privilege to reject any specimens which they may consider unworthy or unfit for Exhibition. All exhibits shall be under their sole control, and none can be removed before the close of the Exhibition without their permission.

7. Competent judges will be employed to make the awards, and no protest will be entertained, except in case of evidence of fraud. No judge shall be a competitor in a variety where his decision is to be given. Judges must not let their awards be known, except through the Executive Committee.

8. The judges will meet at 10 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, and proceed with their work of determining prizes, after which they will hand their books to the Secre-

tary, and obtain and place the prize tickets before the opening of the Exhibition to the public at 2 o'clock.

9. Any person interfering with or attempting to influence the decision of the Judges by his presence or remarks, shall forfeit all right to any premiums to which he might otherwise be entitled.

10. The decision of the Judges shall be final, and exhibitors will be required to abide by it.

11. The Treasurer will commence to pay the premiums on Thursday, the last day of the Exhibition, at 10 o'clock A.M., at the Rink. Prizes not claimed within one month will be forfeited.

12. All sales of articles on exhibition must be made through the Treasurer, who will deduct 5 per cent. for the benefit of the Association.

13. Exhibits may be removed after 5 p. m., on Thursday, 5th.

14. All expenses of transportation to and from the Rink must be borne by the exhibitors.

15. Although every care will be taken, the Association will not be responsible for loss or damage that may occur during the exhibition.

POULTRY.

16. All specimens shall be exhibited in pairs, one male and one female, except chickens, which shall be in collections of not less than four, and cage birds, which may be entered singly. No change will be allowed with the occupants of competing coops.

17. All specimens, which must, at the time of the exhibition, be the bona-fide property of the exhibitor, must be exhibited in attractive and convenient coops or cages, open only at the front, and which can be easily opened by the judges or attendants, with proper appliances for food and water ; they must, for convenience and uniformity of arrangement, be of the following dimensions, outside measurement :—2½ feet high, 2 feet deep, 2½ to 3½ feet long. For Bantams and Pigeons 19 inches high, 11 to 15 inches deep, and 18 to 28 inches long. Coops for Turkeys and Geese may be 3 feet high, 2½ feet deep, and 3 to 3½ feet long. The length of each coop must be stated on the entry blank.

18. Any specimens showing symptoms of disease must be removed from the Hall by the exhibitor, or at his expense and risk if he be absent.

19. It will not be necessary for exhibitors to accompany their specimens, which may be sent direct to the Hall where they will be received, and properly cared for by the committee, during the exhibition, and at its close will be delivered to express for return on order from, or by direction of the owners.

20. All specimens must be exhibited in their natural condition, except Games and Game Bantams, which may be dubbed or trimmed in the ordinary manner.

FLOWERS.

21. All plants exhibited in competition, or from which flowers for exhibition have been obtained, must have been grown by the exhibitor, or have been in his possession for at least two months prior to the first day of exhibition.

22. Any number of plants or stands of flowers may be entered by an exhibitor, but no competitor can be awarded more than one prize in the same section.

23. Exhibitors will attend to the watering of their own plants at such times as the Committee may arrange.

24.—Cut flowers may be exchanged for fresh specimens of the same varieties —for exhibition only—on each day. Such exchanges must be made previous to 9 o'clock a.m.

25. The Exhibition will be open to the public on Tuesday, September 3rd, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and be open daily from 10 a. m. until 10 p. m., closing on Thursday 5th, at 5 p. m.

ADMISSION.—Single tickets, adults, 25 cents ; children under 12 years of age, 10 cents ; season tickets, 50 cents.

PRIZE LIST.

PLANTS IN POTS, TUBS, OR BASKETS.

Section.		
1.	Stand of mixed plants on a space of 40 square feet:	
	1st prize	$15 00
	2nd, do	10 00
2.	Three Stove Plants, distinct kinds, in bloom:	
	1st prize	5 00
	2nd do	3 00
3.	Three Greenhouse Plants, distinct, of kinds not specially included in any other section:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
4.	Three Variegated Plants, not specially included in any other section:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
5.	Six Foliage Plants, distinct:	
	1st prize	6 00
	2nd do	4 00
6.	Three Foliage Plants, not variegated:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
7.	Six Exotic Ferns:	
	1st prize	6 00
	2nd do	4 00
8.	Three Exotic Ferns:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
9.	Three Native Ferns:	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 50
10.	Collection of Native Ferns, not fewer than ten species or varieties:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
11.	Specimen Heliotrope, in blooom:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
	3rd do	1 00
12.	Specimen Coleus:	
	1st prize	1 00
	2nd do	50
13.	Three plants of Coleus, distinct:	
	1st prize	2 50
	2nd do	1 50
14.	Three Fuchsias, distinct, in bloom:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
	3rd do	1 00
15.	Three Fuchsias, in bloom, plants raised from this year's cuttings:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
	3rd do	1 00
16.	Three Gloxineas:	
	1st prize	2 50
	2nd do	1 50

Section.		
17.	Four Zonale Geraniums, distinct:	
	1st prize	$ 4 00
	2nd do	3 00
18.	Four Double Geraniums:	
	1st prize	4 00
	2nd do	3 00
19.	Four Tricolor Geraniums, gold, or silver, or both:	
	1st prize	4 00
	2nd do	3 00
20.	Four Bronze Geraniums:	
	1st prize	4 00
	2nd do	3 00
21.	Ivy-leaved Geranium, green, in bloom:	
	1st prize	1 00
22.	Ivy-leaved Geranium, variegated:	
	1st prize	1 00
23.	Three Petunias, double flowered:	
	1st prize	1 50
24.	Pot of Liliums:	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 00
25.	Pot of Tuberoses:	
	1st prize	1 00
26.	Two Window Plants, grown in dwelling:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
	3rd do	1 00
27.	Three Verbenas, distinct:	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 50
28.	Specimen Ivy, (Hedera Helix):	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 50
	3rd do	1 00
29.	Three Balsams:	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
30.	Cockscomb:	
	1st prize	1 00
31.	Tree Mignonette:	
	1st prize	1 00
32.	Pyramidal Mignonette:	
	1st prize	1 00
33.	Pot of Musk:	
	1st prize	1 00
34.	Collection of Ferns and Lycopods, under glass:	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 00
35.	Six Gladioli, either plants in pots or cut spikes:	
	1st prize	3 00
	2nd do	2 00
	3rd do	1 00

CUT BLOOMS.

Section.		
36.	Three Gladioli, distinct :	
	1st prize	$ 1 50
	2nd do	1 00
	3rd do	50
37.	Six Show Dahlias, distinct (selfs) :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
38.	Six Fancy Dahlias, distinct :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
39.	Six Pompone Dahlias, distinct :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
40.	Three Roses, distinct :	
	1st prize	1 00
	2nd do	50
41.	Six Verbenas, distinct varieties, three trusses of each :	
	1st prize	1 00
	2nd do	50
42.	Six Pansies, distinct :	
	1st prize	1 00
	2nd do	50
43.	Six German Stocks, distinct colors :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
	3rd do	50
44.	Six varieties of Phlox Drummondi, 3 trusses of each :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
45.	Three Perennial Phloxes :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
46.	Six Zinnias :	
	1st prize	1 50
	2nd do	1 00
47.	French Marigolds, twelve blooms :	
	1st prize	1 00
48.	African Marigolds, twelve blooms :	
	1st prize	$ 1 0
49.	Scabious, six blooms :	
	1st prize	1 00
50.	Collection of Antirrhinums :	
	1st prize	1 00
51.	Cockscombs, 2 heads :	
	1st prize	1 00
52.	German Asters, 6 varieties :	
	1st prize	1 00
53.	Pentstemons, 3 varieties :	
	1st prize	1 00
54.	Six Hollyhocks, spikes :	
	1st prize	1 00
55.	Asters, Pæony flowered, six blooms :	
	1st prize	1 00
	2nd do	50
56.	Asters, quilled, six blooms :	
	1st prize	1 00
	2nd do	50
57.	Basket of Cut Flowers, about 14 inches diameter :	
	1st prize	2 50
58.	Hand Bouquet :	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 50
	3rd do	1 00
59.	Bridal Bouquet :	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 50
	3rd do	1 00
60.	Hand Bouquet, made by a lady :	
	1st prize	2 00
	2nd do	1 00
61.	A sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars will be placed at the disposal of the Judges, to be awarded in special prizes for collections of Palms and Cycads or other decorative conservatory or stove plants, &c.	

POULTRY.

Poultry and Pigeons in pairs. Chickens, in collections of not more than four, any sex.

Class.		
1. Asiatics.		
	Light Brahmas	$ 2 00
	L. B. Chickens	2 00
	Dark Brahmas	2 00
	D. B. Chickens	2 00
	Buff Cochins	2 00
	B. C. Chickens	2 00
	Partridge Cochins	2 00
	P. C. Chickens	2 00
2. French.		
	Houdens	2 00
	H. Chickens	2 00
3. Spanish.		
	White Faced Black	$ 2 00
	W. F. B. Chickens	2 00
	White Leghorns	2 00
	W. L. Chickens	2 00
	Brown Leghorns	2 00
	B. L. Chickens	2 00
4. Games.		
	Black Red	2 00
	Blk. R. Chickens	2 00
	Brown Red	2 00
	Br. R. Chickens	2 00
	Any other variety	2 00
	Chickens	2 00

Class.

5. Hamburgs.

Silver Pencilled	$ 2 00
S. P. Chickens	2 00
Golden Spangled	2 00
G. S. Chickens	2 00
Any other variety	2 00
Chickens	2 00

6. Polish.

White Crested Black	2 00
W. C. B. Chickens	2 00
White Crested White	2 00
W. C. W. Chickens	2 00
Golden Spangled	2 00
G. S. Chickens	2 00
Buff	2 00
B. Chickens	2 00

7. American.

Plymouth Rocks	2 00
P. R. Chickens	2 00
Dominiques	2 00
D. Chickens	2 00

8. Bantams.

Game	2 00
G. Chickens	2 00
Frizzles	2 00
F. Chickens	2 00
Rose Comb Black	2 00
R. C. B. Chickens	2 00
Golden Sebright	2 00
G. S. Chickens	2 00

9. Dorkings.

Colored	2 00
C. Chickens	2 00
White	2 00
W. Chickens	2 00

10. Turkey.

Bronze	2 00
B. Chickens	2 00
Any other variety	2 00
Chickens	2 00

11. Geese.

Domestic	2 00
D. Goslings	2 00
Wild	2 00
W. Goslings	2 00

12. Ducks.

Pekin	2 00
P. Ducklings	2 00
Aylesbury	2 00
A. Ducklings	2 00
Rouen	2 00
R. Ducklings	2 00
Muscovy	2 00
M. Ducklings	2 00
Wood Ducks	2 00
W. D. Ducklings	2 00
Mandarin	2 00
M. Ducklings	2 00

Class.

13. Ornamental.

Pea Fowl	$ 2 00
Guinea Fowl	2 00

14. Grades.

Any kind	2 00
G. Chickens	2 00

15. Pigeons.

Pouters, Austrian	1 50
" Any color	1 50
Carriers, English	1 00
" Antwerp	1 00
Fan Tails	1 00
Turbits	1 00
Jacobins	1 00
Trumpeters, Russian	1 00
" English	1 00
Archangels	1 00
Magpies	1 00
Swiss Pigeons	1 00
Common "	1 00

16. Cage Birds.

Canaries—Belgian Cock	1 00
" " Hen	1 00
Not Belgian—Yellow Cock	1 00
" " Hen	1 00
" Green Cock	1 00
" " Hen	1 00
" Mottled Cock	1 00
" " Hen	1 00
" Mule	1 00
Robin, Cock	1 00
Linnet, Cock	1 00
Cat Bird	1 00
Any Variety of native bird	1 00
Cardinal	1 00
Mocking Bird	1 00
Java Sparrow	1 00
Parrot	1 00
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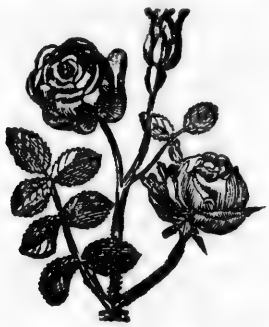

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